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A CHEMICAL ANALYSIS OF THE FRIST
RY MOSQUITO'S BITE.

Animal Strychnine Found in the Poison
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I have determined that the mosquito is a genuinely poisonous insect, dangerous to bife and in every case injurious. Several deaths have been reported, and while these mosquito deaths have been reported, and while these mosquito deaths are not absolutely new, they appear to have been more frequent during the early summer of 1895 than ever before.

As a result of my investigation conducted.

, much more perfect in its mech-than any known to medical LOTS OF AMMUNITION.

There is much more of this virulent poison in an able bedied mosquito than one would imagine. I captured 120 mosquitos with which to make my tests. These insects I gathered partly on Staten Island and partly in New Jersey. In both places mosquitos were whick, and those cought were fully developed.

I found that more than 100 of the insects which I enguired and brought home to my laboratories contained the poison, which is present only in the females. By an accurate method of calculation I determined that is mosquitor contain about one drop of the poison. This quantity would be quite sufficient to cause death, so virulent is the poison and so poworful and direct is the poison and so poworful and direct the transpiration of the poison and so poworful and direct the transpiration of the poison and so poworful and direct the transpiration of the poison and so poworful and direct the transpiration of the poison and so poworful and direct the transpiration of the poison and so poworful and direct the transpiration of the poison and so poworful and direct the transpiration of the poison and so poworful and direct the poison and so poworful and direct the poison and so poworful and direct the poison are the poison are transpiration of t

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From twenty-live mosquito: bites any child is likely to die, and even a much smaller number would be quite sufficient to cause death if the child was weak.

Heretofore it has been considered that death resulting from mosquito hites were caused by blood poisoning. Blood poisoning is one of the accompaniments of such deaths, but the real cause of death is the virulent poison injected into the veins by the insect. None of the cause of death that I have investigated resulted solely from blood poisoning. The cause of death was a direct alkaloid poisoning, much more powerful than a vegetable alkaloids or promatines act much more powerfully ian the real vegetable alkaloids.

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you will always find the insects in clouds about the decomposing mass, upon which they appear to feed with avidity.

Mosquitoes, after being born, dy to such neighborhoods, and they are generally born in places where decomposing animal matters abound. It is not necessary that it be the carcass of a dead horse or dog that thus furnishes the mosquito with its first opportunity to test its implements. Dead flee, dead fish, decomposing insects peculiar to swamps, rotting bones or the remains of other mosquitoes are sufficient

opportunity to test its implements. Dead files, dead fish, decomposing insects peculiar to swamps, rotting bones or the remains of other mosquitoes are sufficient for the purpose. New Jersey I found the mosquitoes are sufficient for the purpose. In one place in New Jersey I found the mosquitoes warming around a dead carriage as which was far advanced in the process of decomposition. These were identically the same mosquitoes you find in the streets of New York, and I have no doubt that the insects that I saw there would in the course of time have found way to some town or city to siting and poison the inhabitants.

For the purpose of my investigation I took along with me a piece of this decaying carcass. The one in dredand fifty mosquitoes which I had captured I then the street then showed that one bundred not westly of them were females. It is first two classes were harmiess. The females I found to contain the poison others and a few did not have it at all. It is thus true that it is only the females do this.

I then extracted the poison from all these insects, securing altogether I les grains to every insect. The weighing of the poison was done with a diamond scales, which determine weights to the smallest fraction.

I tound that about 100 meets would carry a drop of the poison. This drop were to be impeted hypodermicant, it would kills.

Thus the poison of the mosquito is inserted into the flesh of the victim as soon as a puncture has been made on the outer skin. Its effect in drawing blood to the point where the insect is at work is immediate, but the full force of the irritation is not felt until some time afterwards, when the mosquito has secured its load of human blood and gone away.

The tritation that then sets up in the wound is of the most painful description, and the poison standily spreads until it is finally distributed throughout the system by the circulation of blood. Every mosquito bite, therefore, adds a certain quantity of poison to the blood and it to the system mosquitoes cause the blood to become heavily charred with venom, with a consequent weakening of the system and acceleration of the action of the heart.

The polson of the mosquito was investigated for the Sunday World by Dr. Walter T. Scheele, the analytical chemist who gave expert testimony as to the effects of poisons in the Buchanan murder case, Dr. Scheele's attention was directed to the death of a child in Brooklyn from the same cause, and to similar cases reported in different parts of the country during June.

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THE STRONGEST POISON KNOWN.
But mosquito poison is never administered internally. It is seministered in the one way, that is the quickest in its effects, the surest in its aim at the heart, and the most powerful known to science. Nothing that medical science know can produce quicker effects of this kind than hypothesis the of a ruitiesmake is a direct blow at the life of its sciency, because the venou is thrown immediately into the

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which determine weights to the smallest fraction.

If found that about 10° basets would carry a drop of the poison. Into drop were to be injected hypodermicanty, it would kill a man instantly. A drop of strychaine so administered would also kill a man, but the mosquito poison, which I have found to be stronger than strychnine, would do it more quickly.

When I had secured my poison from the mosquitoes I held it up to the light and about as thick as glycerine. It was extremely sour to the taste. This sour reachion of the poison I found was due to the presence of formic soid.

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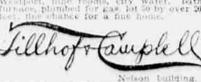
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